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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEVADA

In re:	§	Bankruptcy No. BK-S-00-10533 (AgriBioTech, Inc.)
	§	
AGRIBIOTECH, INC., a Nevada	§	Jointly Administered With:
corporation,	§	
	§	No. BK-S-00-10534 (AgriBioTech Canada)
Debtor.	§	No. BK-S-00-10535 (Las Vegas Fertilizer Co.)
	§	No. BK-S-00-10536 (Garden West Distributors, Inc.)
Federal Tax I.D. #85-0325742	§	No. BK-S-00-10537 (Geo W. Hill & Co., Inc.)

Chapter 11

X Affects All Debtors

— Affects AGRIBIOTECH
CANADA, INC., a Canadian
corporation,

— Affects LAS VEGAS
FERTILIZER CO., INC., a
Nevada corporation,

— Affects GARDEN WEST
DISTRIBUTORS, INC., an
Arizona corporation,

— Affects GEO W. HILL & CO.,
INC., a Kentucky corporation.

**ORDER GRANTING
APPLICATION FOR ORDER
AUTHORIZING EMPLOYMENT OF
DIAMOND, MCCARTHY, TAYLOR
& FINLEY, L.L.P. AND WINSTEAD
SECHREST & MINICK, P.C.,
AS SPECIAL COUNSEL**

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The Court has considered the *Application For Order Authorizing Employment Of Diamond, McCarthy, Taylor & Finley, L.L.P. and Winstead Sechrest & Minick, P.C., As Special Counsel* (the "Application") filed by the Creditor Trustee (the "Trustee"). Based on the Application, the Court finds that Diamond, McCarthy, Taylor & Finley, L.L.P. and Winstead Sechrest & Minick, P.C. does not hold or represent any interest adverse to the estates in the matters on which they are to be employed, that Diamond, McCarthy, Taylor & Finley, L.L.P. and Winstead Sechrest & Minick, P.C. are disinterested persons, that their employment is in the best interest of the estate, and that Diamond, McCarthy, Taylor & Finley, L.L.P. and Winstead Sechrest & Minick, P.C. are qualified to represent the Trustee in these jointly administered Chapter 11 bankruptcy cases.

It is therefore ordered that the Application is approved and that the Trustee is authorized to employ Diamond, McCarthy, Taylor & Finley, L.L.P. and Winstead Sechrest & Minick, P.C. as its general bankruptcy counsel herein on the terms and conditions set forth more fully in the Application. *to be amended on the record*

SIGNED this 13 day of December, 2001.


UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

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